

MILK FIGHT GAINS FORCE

The Farmers Have Well-Equipped Headquarters in Boston

DAILY BULLETINS TO THE PRODUCERS

Milk Distributors of N. Y. Will Not Negotiate with Dairymen's League

Boston, Oct. 5.—A traveling agent who has just come down from Vermont reports to the milk producers' headquarters in Boston that the Vermont farmers seem to be determined to win the 50 cents per can of milk f. o. b. in Boston that they have demanded of the Boston milk dealers. He says that the communities he visited are unanimous. They will not ship milk to Boston unless they get the price they want. One of their methods for taking care of their products, if they cannot sell to the contractors, is to turn the milk into butter, and they are building a co-operative creamery near Jericho. A thousand cows were pledged to the support of this creamery before it was started, he said, and more have been pledged since and the milk in that vicinity will be withheld from Boston. Along the line from Rutland to Bellows Falls the farmers are reported at the Boston headquarters to be unanimous in their stand to ship no milk to Boston except on the orders of one man. Numerous places, such as Grafton, Canaan, Danbury, Bennington, Rutland, are reported to have greatly reduced their shipments. Barnstead, Gorham, Berwick and White River Junction are reported to be fighting the contractors hard, and with success.

At the same time the Boston contractors are reporting that they receive all the milk they want, and more, and that they find the farmers perfectly satisfied with the prices offered, and even ready to increase their production.

It is made perfectly clear by both sides to this controversy that they are determined to fight each other to a finish this time. Both sides claim to be satisfied with the progress made so far.

In previous fights of this character the farmers have lost, but they were never so well armed as they are now. They have headquarters in Boston fully equipped to keep in touch with each other so as to observe the progress of the fight. One of the agencies in their fight is a daily bulletin which will be sent to at least 1500 farmers throughout New England, but later in the campaign sent to about 200 central points for local distribution. This bulletin is to tell the farmers how the fight progresses from day to day, and to give instructions.

One of the issues to be raised later is the observance or non-observance of the spirit of the interstate commerce commission's decision establishing rate zones of twenty miles each for the computation of freight rates on milk. It is contended by the farmers that the contractors are violating the spirit by maintaining price zones of their own that differ from the interstate commerce commission zones, depriving the farmers of the advantages of the open-car system that they expected to receive.

REJECT THE PEACE PLAN

Milk Distributors Will Not Negotiate with Dairymen's League.

New York, Oct. 5.—A conference yesterday between Mayor Mitchell and representatives of the New York milk distributing companies in an effort to bring about a settlement of the differences between the companies and the Dairymen's league over the price of milk failed of result, according to an unofficial announcement after the meeting adjourned. The announcement was made by G. W. Alger, one of the counsel for the companies, who said that they had voted "to have nothing to do with the league."

It was understood prior to the meeting that the Mayor was to place before the distributors the proposition that they pay the price demanded by the farmers for their product, the farmers as a concession waiving recognition of the Dairymen's league.

The mayor, after the meeting with the distributors was over, went into conference with Jacob Hill, head of the league, and Commissioner Dillon, of the state department of foods and markets. In the interim between the two conferences State's Attorney General Woodbury, who has been asked by the distributors to investigate the activities of the Dairymen's league called on the mayor.

KIDNAPER DIES FIGHTING POSSE

Stolen Girl Sees Captor Fall in Pistol Battle—Found in Safe Place.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 5.—In sight of the little girl he had kidnapped, Roy Dickson fought a pistol battle Tuesday with a posse headed by Sheriff Smith. Dickson was protected by rocks and trees, but after 50 shots had been exchanged the kidnaper dropped dead. Before the fight began Dickson placed Catherine Lettich, 12 years old, the kidnapped girl, in a safe spot. She was found by the sheriff afterward.

On Monday Dickson disappeared with Catherine and her six-year-old sister. Later the younger girl returned home. She said Dickson had taken Catherine into a big house. The parents of Catherine raised an alarm and the police of several surrounding villages started a search. In Shelbyville it was learned that Dickson had posed as the father of the little girl. The kidnaper learned of the pursuit and he started for Bagdad with the girl. Sheriff Smith came upon him near Bagdad.

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AUSTRIAN EMPEROR DOWN WITH BRONCHITIS ATTACK

Aged Emperor's Condition Causing His Family and His Ministers Great Anxiety.

London, Oct. 5.—A report reaching Vienna from Geneva, as forwarded to London by the Exchange Telegram company, says that Emperor Francis Joseph is confined to his bed with bronchitis and that his condition is causing anxiety.

HOG PRICES SLUMP.

Quoted 70 Cents Lower in Pittsburgh on Heavy Receipts and Small Demand.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 5.—The first important break for more than a year in the steadily rising market for meat in the Pittsburgh district, was forecasted yesterday when hogs were quoted at Herr's Island stock yards at 70 cents per hundred weight lower than Tuesday with the highest price at \$9.50. Heavy receipts and a falling off in demand were given by brokers as the cause of the slump.



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HEAVY PENALTY FOR TRYING TO BRIBE MEAT INSPECTOR

Arthur Plautt, a Brooklyn Slaughter House Operator, Is Given Two to Five Years' Hard Labor at Sing Sing.

New York, Oct. 5.—Convicted of bribing a health inspector to pass meat unfit for food, Arthur Plautt, a Brooklyn slaughter house operator, was given the maximum penalty of from two to five years at hard labor in Sing Sing yesterday. Plautt, who is young and said to be wealthy, pleaded for leniency and promised to make a new start in life if allowed to go free, but the court said he had sworn falsely to avoid conviction and declined to give him the consideration that would have followed frank admission of guilt.

Herman Braunschweig, pleading guilty to a similar charge, was given an indeterminate sentence of from one to two years and a half.

ALBANY STRIKE ENDS.

Differences are to Be Adjusted by Arbitration.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 5.—The strike which has tied up completely trolley service in Albany and Rensselaer since Monday and in Troy, Green Island, Cohoes and Water-viet since Tuesday was settled at noon yesterday. Differences between the men and the United Traction company officials will be adjusted by arbitration. Orders were issued for the resumption of service as soon as possible. The same men who successfully arbitrated the differences which caused a four-days' strike thirteen months ago will adjudicate the present difficulties.

The question at issue is the interpretation of a rule of the agreement of 1915. A motorman on the Albany-Troy line was discharged because he was alleged to have run his car past a "dead stop" signal. The allegation was made in writing by a patron of the line. The motorman's fellow employees contended that, under the agreement, he could not rightfully be dismissed unless he were confronted with the complainant. The company officials maintained that they had no power to compel a private citizen to state his case in the presence of an employee against whom a complaint had been made.

More than 1200 employees were involved in the walkout.

EDUCATIONAL TREATS.

Expected at Vermont State Teachers' Association Convention.

This year the teachers of Vermont are working as never before to reach a degree of efficiency that will reflect credit upon the greatest agency in education—the public school. The summer sessions brought together enthusiastic groups at the colleges and normal schools of the state. The sacredness of the calling and the responsibility of the work were depicted in the faces of the eager classes intent upon growth—intent upon teaching the cultured status that social efficiency demands. The teachers of the commonwealth are proud that the hope of the state's past leader is being welded into a chain of achievement that shall bind the strength of the past with that of the future.

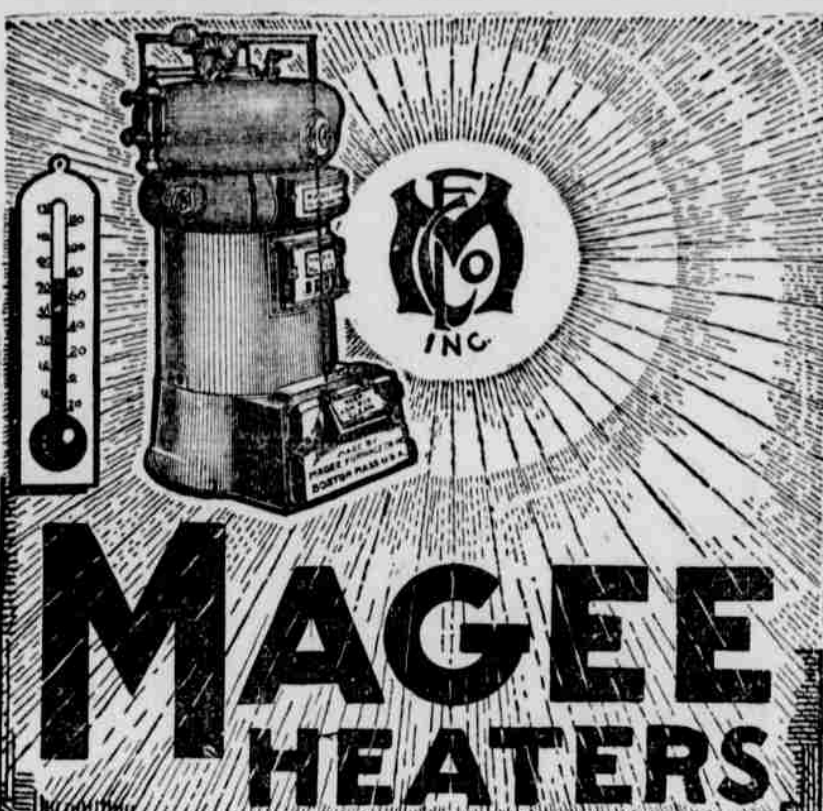
Oct. 12, 13 and 14 there will assemble in the city of Burlington the great educational brotherhood in convention, this being the 67th meeting in the history of the association. There will be many speakers in the various departments—men and women whose deeds have been those of service whose service has been such that the rural schools, the high schools, the universities and the nation have come under the influence of their loyalty and worth. New York state about two years ago confidently placed Dr. Finley at the head of her school system. Dr. Finley is to be one of the chief speakers from abroad.

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, the great educator, is to be present with the women at their banquet Friday evening, Oct. 13. The subject of her address will be, "The Value of the Teacher."

Here are some of the good things that have been said about this woman, whose leadership has made her name a household word: "Mrs. Ella Flagg Young began to teach in the public schools of Chicago in 1881. She is known as the 'mother of the textbook.' Her mind is as clear as a bell. She has the decisiveness of a general. Her career has been worked out in Chicago. She was, successively, teacher, principal, member of the faculty of the University of Chicago, head of the Chicago Normal school, and, finally, superintendent of the public schools of Chicago. Mrs. Young is a strenuous friend of manual training."—New York Independent.

"If a woman can successfully conduct the schools of the second largest city in the union, there isn't a little city school system anywhere to which a woman may not aspire to be superintendent. Dr. Ella Flagg Young, who has so set aside precedent that she has made way for other women to follow her, began school teaching as a girl of 18 at a time when public opinion placed outside a woman's sphere every other position which she has since attained. Since those days she has come all the way to the top of her profession in the same city in which she started; grade teacher, principal, district superintendent, professor at Chicago university, and principal of Chicago Normal school, before she became superintendent. She has earned her own living since she was graduated at the Chicago Normal school. She was more than 40 years old and a district superintendent when she went to college and took her A. B. and finally her Ph. D., and to these has since been added L. L. D. That is about all of the honors there are coming the way of any scholar. Her dynamic personality has electrified the whole school system."—The Delinquent.

Mrs. Helen King Cheeseman, who was recently elected president of the Rhode Island Mothers' Congress and National Teachers' association, will be heard by the women at their banquet in an inspiring talk on "On Being a Good Fellow." The annual banquet of the Vermont Women Teachers' club will be held at the University of Vermont gymnasium at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, Oct. 13. An opportunity will be afforded other women of the state to hear Mrs. Young and Mrs. Cheeseman and at the same time enjoy a social evening with the teachers. Reservations have been made for about 30 who are not members of the club. Miss Marjory Adair, 384 Pearl street, Burlington, is chairman of the Burlington committee of arrangements and will answer any questions which you wish to ask relative to the women's club.



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NEW EVIDENCE IN SMALL CASE.

Finding of Blood-Stained Towel and of Unlocked Bulkehead.

Mountainview, N. H., Oct. 5.—A new aspect has been given the Small murder case through several incidents that occurred Tuesday. First, it was reported that a traveling bag containing the stomach and other parts of Mrs. Small's body had been stolen at the North station, while in the custody of Medical Referee Horne. Yesterday this was denied. Dr. Horne took the organs for examination to Professor H. W. Kinsford at Dartmouth college and from there they were to be taken to the Harvard medical school.

The finding of a blood-stained towel in a motorboat not far from the burned cottage is regarded as important evidence. This boat had been covered with canvas for the winter and was drawn up on the lake shore. The towel, which bore several blood stains and which also looked as though it had been scorched, was tucked away beneath the canvas. The defense will claim that the murderer made his escape along the east shore of the lake, first using the towel to remove blood stains from his hands. It will be argued that were Small guilty, he would have left the towel to burn in the cottage.

Another discovery regarded as important is that the bulkhead of the cottage was not fastened, thus affording a means of entrance and egress for the murderer. There is a feeling in some quarters that Small cannot obtain an unprejudiced hearing in the county where the murder occurred, and a change of venue may be asked for.

MYSTERIOUS DEATHS.

Three of Them Engage Attention of Boston Police.
Boston, Oct. 5.—Three mysterious

deaths occupied the attention of local police investigators yesterday. Mrs. Elizabeth Herlihy died at the East Boston Relief hospital from injuries which police reports stated were received at her home. She is said to have jumped from the roof of her home with suicidal intent.

Nelson C. Shaw, returning to his home in the Roslindale district yesterday, found his wife, Mrs. Jennie M. Shaw, dead in bed. A physician who was called, said death had occurred from two to four days ago.

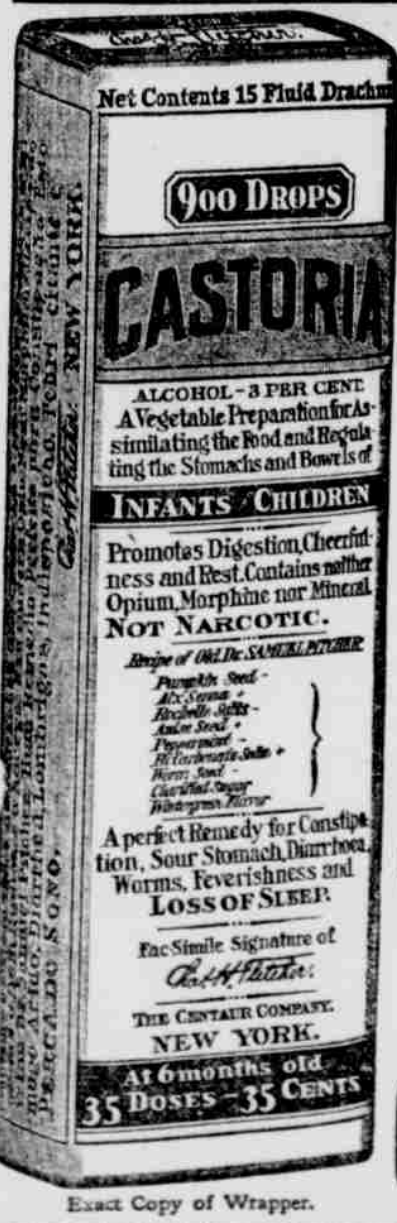
Death was probably due to natural causes but the police interested themselves in the matter.

Magnus Lindberg, who was arrested Tuesday night for a misdemeanor, became unconscious in his cell during the night and died early yesterday at a hospital. The cause of his condition was undetermined.

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